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1. Response (27 pages); ✓
2. Fee Transmittal (1 page); and ✓
3. Certificate of Transmission (1 page). ✓

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FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2005

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Application No. 09/956,997
Filing Date September 21, 2001
First Named Inventor William F. Mann et al
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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee(\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee(\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee(\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300.00	150.00	500.00	250.00	200.00	100.00	
Design	200.00	100.00	100.00	50.00	130.00	65.00	
Plant	200.00	100.00	300.00	150.00	160.00	80.00	
Reissue	300.00	150.00	500.00	250.00	600.00	300.00	
Provisional	200.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	

2. EXCESS CLAIMS FEES

For	Number Present	Highest Number Paid For	Extra	Fees (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fees Paid (\$)
Total Claims	43	44	0 x	50.00	25.00	0.00
Independent Claims	7	3	4 x	200.00	100.00	800.00
Multiple Dependent Claim				360.00	180.00	0.00
Total Excess Claims Fees						800.00

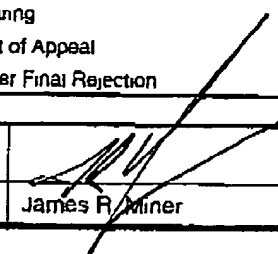
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 22, 2005, reconsideration of the above-identified application is requested based on the remarks and amendments as set forth below.

A listing of the amended claims begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 18.